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ENCRYPTING METHOD

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated August 21, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.